IOT Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery - 2021

Who We Are:

Our team works with the operational teams of IOT and the agencies to devise a recovery plan for the critical systems in an Operational outage or in a declared Disaster event.

Our Mission:

To provide consistent delivery of Disaster Recovery services to enhance the availability and recoverability of state-held critical assets hosted at IOT Data Center while supporting the State's business objectives.

Department: Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity Services

Manager Anu Bag

Formed: 2007 under Security Team, moved to Server Hosting and Shared Services Team Nov. 2017

What We Do:

Collaborate and partner with agencies to design, plan, standardize, implement, test, and document the critical systems DR plan in accordance with the compliance set forth with the policies directed by IOT Security. We also manage yearly contracts and maintain a positive partnership with the colocation datacenter provider Collaborate and partner with IOT Operational teams to devise a COOP plan for IOT Business Operations and assist developing Business Continuity Plan for Operational outages for IOT as an agency.

Our Products:

1137P DR Traditional - Physical Server
 1137W Disaster Premium - Virtual Server
 1137W Rack Hosting (Bloomington only)
 1137MP DR Premium - Physical Server

Our Tools:

Colocation Data CenterEMC VMAX3IU Data Center, BloomingtonPureStorageDS8910 (Mainframe)

Replication

EMC VMAX3 SRDF/Metro Archive
PureStorage ISILON

DataGuard (EXADATA, OracleRAC) EMC Elastic Cloud Service

Metro Mirror (Mainframe)

Network Attached Storage

I-Light 10 GB (Protected Zone)

EMC Data Domain (Oracle database backups)

Backup

AVAMAR

DR Tests

TS7760 (Mainframe)

Our Metrics: Tracks metrics for its agency critical systems DR tested every year.

Track metrics for Business Continuity efforts

Our Customers: All Executive Branch agencies, Secretary of State, and Department of Education

Our Budget: \$0.5M

Our Growth: 48 Agencies are using the Disaster Recovery services

Major Accomplishments - 2020:

Modest score on Gartner Maturity Assessment

DR Tests/Tabletop Exercises

Rebranded MHA to DR Premium

Pandemic Improvements assistance
ISI Archer Profile for IOT Core Infra. Systems
Hygiene Improvements for

Enhanced focus with Business Continuity Policy and Standards Improvements

COOP Winter 2020 version
COOP Tabletop Exercises

Agency IT DR Tests/Tabletop Top Exercise - 2020

Current Projects:

Disaster Recovery - IT

IU Data Center Consolidation/Cloud Integration Agency IT DR plan 2021

COOP/Safety & Emergency Management

Evacuation Drill Summer Emergency Notification System Floor Marshal and Volunteers COOP Functional Exercise Summer IOT Response Teams
IOT Mobile Contacts Offline Database
Red Cross Training for Volunteers